FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Sams Steven					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ACTIVE POWER INC [ ACPW ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
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(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ACTIVE POWER, INC.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2016								Officer below)	(give title		Other (spelow)	pecify	
2128 W. BRAKER LANE, BK12				4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. 1	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
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		Tab	le I - Nor	ı-Deriv	vativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired, D	ispos	ed o	f, or Bei	neficial	ly Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transar Date (Month/Da					ear) i	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		, Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)			ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		Benefici Owned F	es I ally Following (	6. Owners Form: Dir (D) or Ind (I) (Instr. 4	ect c irect E	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
							Code V	Am	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	ion(s)		(	Instr. 4)		
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amoun of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ow For Dire or I (I) (	nership m: ect (D) ndirect Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expira Date	ation	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (Right to	\$0.99	02/25/2016			A		15,000		02/25/2017	02/25/	/2026	Common Stock	15,000	\$0	15,000		D	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

/s/ Scott J. Depta, Attorney-in-

**Fact** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

02/25/2016

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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